State Elective Dental Procedure Limitations  As of March 8

During the COVID-19 pandemic, most states restricted dental procedures to urgent or emergency care. The map below shows the current status of statewide orders limiting elective dental procedures. For the current status of any order – and specific requirements – consult the federal/state orders, decrees and mandates related to dentistry and healthcare document updated daily on AAOMS.org/COVID19 and your own government sources.

- States prohibiting all but emergency procedures
- States currently prohibiting all but emergency procedures but allowing future elective procedures to commence
- States allowing some elective procedures but with restrictions or specified criteria
- States allowing elective procedures or are silent, or any restrictions are instituted only by state dental associations
- States prohibiting elective surgery/procedures only at hospitals

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